

## Message Text

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ACTION ARA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 EB-08 /019 W  
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UNCLAS QUITO 2754

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BENC, EC  
SUBJECT: POSSIBLE JOINT VENTURE PARTNERS - CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING  
FIRMS IN ECUADOR

REF: (A) A-1488; (B) QUITO 2603

1. THE LIST OF ECUADOREAN FIRMS ATTACHED AS ENCLOSURE  
TO REFAIR DOES NOT APPEAR TO US TO BE SATISFACTORY FOR  
PURPOSES OF ENCOURAGING JOINT VENTURES WITH U.S. COMPANIES  
IN THE CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING FIELD. IT FALLS FAR SHORT OF  
REPRESENTING THE BEST PROSPECTS.

2. WE WOULD LIKE MORE TIME TO PUT TOGETHER A MEANINGFUL  
LIST. WE WOULD WANT SUCH A LIST TO REFLECT THE CHANGED  
LEGAL ENVIRONMENT THAT WOULD PREVAIL SHOULD THE DRAFT LAW  
DISCUSSED IN REFTTEL BE ENACTED.  
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